

Docket No.: 1614.1218

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Tetsu TAKAHASHI

Serial No. 10/080,564

Group Art Unit: 2621

Confirmation No. 8623

Filed: February 25, 2002

Examiner: HASAN, SYED Y

For: IMAGE RECORDING APPARATUS AND SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the non-final Office Action mailed July 11, 2007, and having a period for response set to expire on October 11, 2007. A Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to November 11, 2007 which being Sunday and Monday, November 12, 2007 being a federal holiday renders this amended timely filed Tuesday November 13, 2007. An RCE is filed concurrently.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.